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Send for a Book which will be sent to any ad-  
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A few doors below Kearney, where he may be con-  
sulted at all hours.

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FUNCTIONS.  
Characterized by irregular, suppressed, or painful  
menstruation, pain in the sides and back, sensation  
of weight in the pelvis, weakness, nervous headache,  
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Male or female, are treated with all the skill and ap-  
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its manifold forms, dyspepsia, emaciation and debili-  
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speedily expelling all corrupt humors, and imparting  
a healthy tone to the system by purifying the blood,  
regulating the secretions, and reinvigorating the vital  
powers.

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has given the Doctor advantages possessed by few,  
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part of the State on receipt of letter describing sym-  
ptoms.

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where patients who desire may receive board and  
constant attention during their sickness, thus avoid-  
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tive nurses will be employed, and no means will be  
left untried to give full satisfaction. Consultation  
free.

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MOORE, and consult him about their troubles. His  
uniform success in his treatment of Female Suppres-  
sion and kindred diseases is a sufficient guarantee of  
his scientific attainments. Let no false delicacy pre-  
vent you, but call at once, and save yourself from fu-  
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Oct 15-3m

THE HUMAN HAIR  
HAS LONG BEEN THE STUDY OF THE most  
scientific men of the age, from the fact that close  
study generally causes the hair to fall off prematurely;  
and, in consequence, they have given the subject  
a portion of their valuable time, trying to invent some  
method to regain their lost locks; but all their labor  
was in vain, until

PROFESSOR CROCKETT  
after many years of hard study devoted to this one  
subject, has produced an article that  
WILL MAKE THE HAIR GROW,  
and which, by its use as a Hair Dressing, will effec-  
tually and always prevent its loss—even to extreme  
old age. Happily, the

AMYGDALINE

while possessing these virtues, is most delightful and  
agreeable without regard to their virtue. The hair,  
when diseased, becomes dry, and sometimes turns  
gray, which is caused by the non-secretion by the  
capillary glands of a peculiar oil. It has therefore been  
thought and believed that if the glands were stimu-  
lated into action, they would still give a sufficient  
supply of nourishment to the hair; but alas! they  
forget one very important law of nature, viz: that  
as the vessels give water to a flower, and the same  
more the glands were stimulated—the sooner the fi-  
nal loss of the much prized locks. The principle of  
the preparation invented by Professor Crockett is en-  
tirely the opposite—instead of stimulating the capil-  
lary glands, he feeds them with the substance they  
require, and, in turn, the hair is fed by them—on the  
same principle as giving water to a flower. All we  
will say to those who are timid about trying new pre-  
parations is, that we strictly guarantee the AMYGDALINE  
to be entirely free from all stimulants, and is harm-  
less as filtered water, and can be used on the  
smallest infant. As a

Hair Dressing  
it is unequalled by any the world has yet produced.  
It keeps the head entirely free of dandruff, itching,  
scalding—imperting to the hair a beautiful glossy  
acquirement not obtained by an known compound. It will  
also be found both pleasant and useful as a Cosmet-  
ique, surpassing cold cream and face lotions in its ef-  
fects; for chaps, sore breast and nipples we know of  
no remedy that is equal to it.

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used is such that the AMYGDALINE will always retain  
it, and will not become rancid by age; in fact, it is perfect  
in every particular. Professor Crockett's Amygdaline  
can be had of all druggists and dealers everywhere.  
Price, 50 cents.  
Ask for Crockett's Amygdaline, and take no  
other. sep 25-6m

Adapt German Tonic and Anemic Bit-  
ters are a never failing remedy for Bilious Diseases  
and all derangements of the stomach and Digestive  
organs. Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Liver  
Complaints, Constipation, &c. Where the system has  
been reduced by Fever and Ague, it will prove a val-  
uable auxiliary for a speedy and permanent restora-  
tion to health and strength. They are highly refined,  
agreeable to the taste, and remarkably warming, stim-  
ulating and invigorating in all their effects upon the  
system. Price, 50 cents, per bottle. For sale by all  
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### A CASE OF DOUBTFUL IDENTITY.

#### A STORY OF 1851.

In pursuance of a request on your part, and  
a promise on mine, I proceed to give you as  
clear a history of the case tried in Yuba county  
in 1851, entitled, "The People of the State of  
California vs. James Stewart," as my mem-  
ory will afford. I was of counsel for defendant,  
(Thomas Burdick) and as the case proved to be  
a most extraordinary one in all its features, of  
course it impressed itself pretty deeply on my  
mind, and consequently my recollection of the  
case is quite distinct.

In the Spring and Summer of 1851, there re-  
sided at Foster's Bar, in said county, a person  
of very unenviable notoriety by the name of  
James Stewart, or "Jim Stewart," as he was  
more generally called, who divided his time,  
perhaps somewhat unequally, between mining,  
gambling at all games, including the "String  
game," and stealing. During his residence at  
this locality, he made occasional sallies forth  
there on a visit to Sacramento, San Francisco,  
and other points of lesser importance, in quest  
of new fields of adventure where he might oc-  
cupy himself in his usual way. It so happened  
that there were some two or three persons who  
knew his character for a considerable time be-  
fore he went to the above Bar, and were ac-  
quainted with his personal appearance and  
habits.

At the particular time that Stewart resided at  
this point, the legal magistrate of the place was  
one O. P. Stidger, a man of great positiveness  
of character, of keen observation, and uncon-  
quenchable intelligence. Before this judge, Stewart  
had been several times arraigned, on various  
charges, and from these facts, together with the  
general observing nature of Stidger, he had a  
very good knowledge of the personal appear-  
ance of Stewart.

There also resided at this Bar—I think in the  
capacity of a merchant—at the same time, a  
man by the name of—Moore, who was in the  
habit of going to San Francisco, or Sacra-  
mento, to replenish his stock of goods. He  
was in the habit of going to Sacramento on  
horse-back—very few stages, were running in  
California at this time—and, as there were then  
no Express companies or banks to give checks,  
or transport gold dust, this Moore always took  
his own money with him, in gold dust, or coin,  
and on one of these occasions he had, together  
with his own money, about eighteen hundred or  
two thousand dollars belonging to a man called  
Col. Prentiss, who was at the time United  
States Marshal for the Northern District of  
California. It was on this trip of Moore, that  
Stewart, together with one assistant, whose  
name is not now remembered, waylaid and mur-  
dered Moore, about half-way between the  
Bar, already referred to, and the city of Sacra-  
mento. The two robbers took all the money  
they found with the dead man, hurriedly hid  
his body, and then left for parts unknown, and  
Stewart was not heard of for four months after-  
wards. A short time after this, the store of a  
gentleman by the name of Janson, in the city  
of San Francisco, was entered by a couple of  
men a little after the ordinary candle "lighting,"  
who knocked this gentleman down with a "slung  
shot," and then robbed the store of what money  
they could find, carrying away with them some  
light articles of goods. Sometime after the  
robbers had left, Mr. Janson revived, made  
his way out into the street, and gave the alarm.  
In a short time a policeman or two having been  
procured, heard the statement of Mr. Janson,  
and his description of the two robbers, and im-  
mediately started out in pursuit of them. From  
the few words that passed between the robbers  
and Mr. Janson while in the store, the latter  
discovered that one of the robbers who ad-  
dressed him was an Englishman, or an Australian.  
This was enough, to point the scent of the po-  
lice, and to exasperate the crowd to an ex-  
traordinary degree. There were, at this par-  
ticular juncture in California, and particularly in  
San Francisco, great numbers of persons from  
the penal colony of Australia, who had either  
made their escape from there, or had left there  
after serving but their time, and some of these  
characters were quite notorious, among the rest  
was this Jim Stewart, and prejudice ran to fever  
heat against these people. It was not long be-  
fore the policeman returned with two men whom  
they supposed answered the description of the  
men given by Janson. Janson without hesita-  
tion immediately recognized one of the men  
as the one who had knocked him down in his  
store. By this time the crowd, in and about  
the store of Janson, and which was very large,  
became infuriated, and it was with the greatest  
difficulty that the law officers could keep their  
prisoners out of the hands of the mob. The  
prisoners were, however, transferred to the jail,  
and a heavy guard placed over the jail for the  
double purpose of preventing an escape on the  
one hand, and an execution by the mob on the  
other. In due course of time the Grand jury of  
the county of San Francisco, indicted the sup-  
posed chief actor in this San Francisco robbery, under  
the name of Thomas Burdick, as the prisoner  
persisted in claiming this as his proper name.  
Janson testified before the grand jury, when  
the bill was found, and then afterwards before  
the petit jury on the trial of the prisoner. He  
swore positively as to the identity of the ac-  
cused, and the jury rendered a verdict of guilty  
without much hesitation, and the court sen-  
tenced the prisoner to a term of fourteen years  
in the state prison. About this time Col. Prentiss  
was in San Francisco, and recognized the  
prisoner as the identical "Jim Stewart," who  
had formerly resided at Foster's Bar, in Yuba  
county, and the man who had killed—Moore,  
in said county, as above related; and as there  
was an indictment then pending in the District  
Court of said county against Stewart, he applied  
to the clerk of the court for a warrant for the  
body of the supposed James Stewart, and had  
him taken from San Francisco county, up to the  
county of Yuba, where his trial for the aforesaid  
murder took place, and here the mystery be-  
gins.

The indictment being for murder, the trial of  
course took place in the District Court. The  
presiding judge at this time was Hon. Gordon  
N. Mott, and the prosecution was conducted by  
Jesse O. Goodwin, at that time District Attor-  
ney, assisted by Charles H. Bryan, and the de-  
fence was conducted by Francis L. Aud, assisted  
by Richard S. Messick.

The great prejudice which existed against the  
prisoner at the time, and the general prejudice  
against all his countrymen, (Australians) made  
it difficult to obtain a jury. In the course of  
two or three days, however, a jury was empan-  
nelled, and the case proceeded to trial.

It was proven beyond any doubt whatever,  
that Moore was murdered on the day alleged in

the indictment, in said county, and by James  
Stewart!! There was no disputing these  
points. But the grand and only question to be  
solved was as to whether the prisoner at the  
bar was "James Stewart, or some other person?"

Witnesses for the prosecution were generally  
bold and entirely positive; but the witnesses  
for the prisoner, with the exception of Judge  
Stidger and B. F. Washington, appeared to feel  
uneasy and often hesitated in their testimony.  
Some three or four witnesses testified that they  
had worked with Jim Stewart at Foster's Bar,  
and had known him before he went there. That  
they had eaten with him at the same table often  
and had played cards with him, and one or two  
said they had slept with him. They testified  
that Jim Stewart was of the same height as the  
prisoner; that he had curly hair like him; that  
he was slightly bald on the top of his head,  
like him; that his actions were like his; (the  
court having made the prisoner stand up sever-  
al times so that the witnesses could see him  
better than when sitting) that his voice and ac-  
cent were the same; (being English) that the  
color of the eyes and hair were the same; and  
that Jim Stewart had a stiff middle finger on  
the right hand, and a ring of India Ink around  
one of his fingers, and marks of India Ink be-  
tween each thumb and fore-finger; and further  
that Jim Stewart had a rather long scar on his  
right cheek. The jury then examined the hands  
of the prisoner, and there were found a ring of  
India Ink on one of his fingers, several figures  
or spots of the same ink between the thumb  
and fore-finger of each hand; and the right  
middle finger was not stiff, but the prisoner had  
a felon under the nail of the corresponding  
finger, which had given it a short stubby ap-  
pearance, heavier at the end than elsewhere,  
the nail of the finger being broad and thick, and  
bending inwards toward the end of the finger.  
This was startling to the defense, indeed. It  
remained now to see if the prisoner had a scar  
on the right side of the face. His face could  
not be satisfactorily examined, as it was almost  
completely covered with a short growth of hair.  
The Court ordered the prisoner to be shaved  
before being brought into Court next morning,  
and, on being examined, a scar about the length  
of the one described by the witnesses was found,  
commencing on the edge of the jaw, on the right  
side, and running down the neck.

The witnesses now seemed confident, and said  
that they had no doubt that the prisoner was  
Jim Stewart. On a cross examination they  
said, in a positive and unhesitating manner,  
that it was not possible that they could be mis-  
taken in their opinion that the prisoner was Jim  
Stewart.

Col. Prentiss swore positively that the pris-  
oner was Jim Stewart, and that he could not  
possibly be mistaken. Some four or five wit-  
nesses swore positively as to the identity of the  
prisoner, and that he was Jim Stewart, beyond  
a question; each giving some one or more new  
reasons for his belief. No witness on the side  
of the prosecution would admit a probability  
that he could be mistaken in the prisoner—that  
he certainly was Jim Stewart!

On the side of the defense, Judge Stidger  
swore positively that the prisoner at the Bar  
was not Jim Stewart; that there was a strong  
resemblance between Jim Stewart and this man,  
but that Jim Stewart was, at least, two inches  
taller than the prisoner; that their eyes were  
different in color; that the expression of the  
eyes of the two men was different; that Jim  
Stewart was much quicker in his motions than  
the prisoner; that Jim Stewart's motions were  
very uncommon, being as quick as those of the  
wild cat; that he was always head erect, much  
more so than the prisoner, and that the real  
Jim Stewart was straighter in his personal for-  
mation, and had a different complexion. This  
witness testified that Jim Stewart was often ar-  
raigned before him as a Judge at Foster's Bar,  
and that his recollection of him from this and  
other facts was clear and distinct.

Stidger also testified that Jim Stewart had a  
stiff middle finger, but not such a one as the  
prisoner had.

B. F. Washington, who was at the time Re-  
corder of Sacramento City, testified that he  
knew Jim Stewart from the fact of his being a  
notorious character in that city, and from the  
fact that he had been often brought before him  
on different charges. Mr. Washington said that  
the prisoner at the Bar was not Jim Stewart;  
that there was some resemblance, but they were  
to his eye quite different men; that Jim Stew-  
art was an inch and a half or two inches taller  
than the prisoner.

Other witnesses for the defense testified to  
about the same facts, but they seemed to be un-  
easy, in some trepidation, and acted in a man-  
ner most provoking to the defense.

One witness, on behalf of the prosecution, a  
Mr. Thompson, testified that the prisoner, about  
the date of the alleged murder, came into a  
camp on Slate Range, in said County of Yuba,  
on horse back, and seemed to have plenty of  
money, and was betting with the boys on a  
"string game," which he played very skillfully.  
That he had a conversation with the prisoner in  
the jail, and that the prisoner had admitted that  
he was at Slate Range at the time mentioned,  
but denied that he was Jim Stewart.

The above was in substance the testimony  
introduced in this wonderful case.

After the argument of counsel, and the in-  
structions of the Court, the Jury retired and  
after being out two days and one night, finally  
brought in a verdict of guilty. Some two or  
three days after this verdict was brought in, and  
before the Court had pronounced sentence,  
word was received from San Francisco that the  
"Vigilance Committee" had caught, and there  
had in their possession, the real Jim Stewart,  
and that Janson had recognized him as the man  
who had knocked him down and robbed him in  
his store, and that Janson was very uneasy  
about the punishment of the prisoner in Yuba  
county. The writer of this, together with Judge  
Stidger, immediately went to San Francisco,  
and there confined in one of the rooms of the  
"Vigilance Committee, was found the veritable  
Jim Stewart. If I ever saw a stronger resem-  
blance between two men in my life, I did not  
recollect it. But I soon noticed the distinctive  
differences, so minutely described in the testi-  
mony of Stidger and Washington. The real  
Jim Stewart, who stood before me, was at least  
two inches higher than the prisoner in Yuba  
county. The middle finger was the same as had  
been stated by witnesses, quite stiff, and his  
hand much longer and more aristocratically  
shaped than the hands of the other. His ac-  
tions were exactly those that Stidger had de-  
scribed, and at the least motion of any one pre-  
sent, his eyes, head or body would move with  
the rapidity of lightning!

All were well satisfied now that this was the  
genuine Jim Stewart; and those who could,  
helped the writer to get up affidavits as to the  
identity of Stewart, so as to save the neck of  
the poor fellow who unfortunately resembled  
him so much. The Vigilance Committee posi-  
tively refused to allow Jim Stewart to be taken  
from their possession; saying that they could  
not let him have the chance to escape that might  
occur in taking him to Yuba county. Before  
the writer could reach home, Jim Stewart was  
hung by the "Committee," and his confession  
was published in the newspapers, in which  
Stewart admitted the killing of Moore in Yuba  
county among his heinous deeds.

What remained now to be done was to save  
Burdick's life, and to this end a motion was  
made in arrest of judgment and for a new trial  
in the District Court in said county, which was  
granted, and thereupon the District Attorney  
entered a nolle prosequi, and the prisoner was  
sent in charge of an officer to San Francisco,  
where he had been sentenced by a Court to  
fourteen years in the State Prison for robbing  
Janson. As soon as this gentleman (Janson)  
saw Burdick, he was greatly moved, and ex-  
pressed astonishment that he could have been so  
greatly mistaken. Means were immediately  
taken to have Burdick pardoned, and the Gov-  
ernor did pardon him, and he became quite a  
lion in San Francisco; all sympathizing with  
him heartily, some in quite a substantial man-  
ner, giving him considerable sums of money,  
not the least among the latter in sympathy and  
money, was Mr. Janson himself, who expressed  
great joy at the entire acquittal of Burdick.

The above case verifies the expression "that  
truth is stranger than fiction," and really "out-  
romances" itself. There are some points that  
came out in the testimony that may have had a  
tendency to make the case a still more strange  
one, and give it more the air of romance, but I  
deemed it unnecessary to put them down, as  
the case is remarkable enough as stated, and the  
whole facts might have a tendency to make the  
case exaggerated.

The curious who read the foregoing may feel  
a desire to know what became of this Thomas  
Burdick after this. According to the best of  
the writer's information, after remaining in Cal-  
ifornia about a year from his release, he went  
back to Sydney, where he had a wife and chil-  
dren.

A YOUNG lady once knifed to a gentleman  
that he thimble was worn out, and asked what  
reward she should receive for her industry. He  
sent her a new thimble with the following lines:  
"I send you a thimble for fingers so nimble,  
Which I hope will fit when you try it;  
It will last you long, if it proves half as strong,  
As the hint which you gave me to buy it."

A WESTERN New York farmer writes as fol-  
lows to a distinguished scientific agriculturist,  
to whom he felt under obligations for introduc-  
ing a variety of swine:

"Dear sir—I went yesterday to the fair at  
M—, I found several of your species. There  
was a great variety of beasts and I was aston-  
ished at not seeing you there."

NEVADA.—The first Legislature of this State  
is to assemble on the second Monday of next  
month. Every member of both houses is a  
Union man, elected by the Union party. The  
Copperheads counted largely on carrying this  
State, but they only succeeded in polling about  
one-third of the votes, and did not elect a sol-  
itary officer under the State Constitution.

ILLINOISTOWN.—A correspondent of this  
place, writing to a paper below, says:

As Illinoistown has redeemed her self at last  
I wish you would remember her in your col-  
umns. She has always been Democratic to the  
backbone, but this year we have cast eighty-  
three votes, and the Union majority was four.  
We also collected \$50 for the Sanitary cause.

A SCHOOLMARM in England has adopted a  
novel mode of punishment. If the body dis-  
obey her rules, she stands them on their heads  
and pour cold water into their trousers' leg.

Our devil, with characteristic juvenile imper-  
tence, wishes to know what treatment the  
girls are subjected to.

A COCKNEY youth, wishing to get a sight at  
his sweetheart, cried "Fire!" direct under her  
window. In the alarm of the moment, she  
plunged her head out of the window and in-  
quired, "Where?"—when he poetically slap-  
ped himself on the bosom and exclaimed, "Fire,  
my Hangeline!"

At Woodstock, Illinois, a young man was  
drowned. His father and some two hundred  
people went to the shore and fired a cannon in  
order to raise the body. The cannon burst in-  
to fragments, but only the father, out of the  
whole crowd, was hit by them, and he was killed.

GOOD BEGINNING.—At the election on Tues-  
day, Nov. 8th, says and exchange: Six young  
men marched up to the polls and put in their  
maiden Presidential votes for the Union nom-  
inees.

A GOOD UNION MAN.—Old Gen. John A.  
Sutter manifested his Unionism on Tuesday by  
traveling from Benicia to Yuba City that he  
might cast his vote for Lincoln and Johnson.

"Is Mr. Jones in?" asked an Irishman of the  
porter in a hotel. "No," was the reply, "will you  
leave your name?" "Do you think I'd be after  
going home without a name?"

THE Idaho Legislature met at Lewiston on  
the 14 inst. The Legislature consists of twenty  
members—thirteen in the House and seven  
in the Senate.

DOBBS, on being asked if he had ever seen  
the "Bridge of Sighs," replied: "Yes, I have  
been travelling on it ever since I was married."



# DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 26, 1864.

Now, by St. Paul, the work goes bravely on. The Stars and Stripes are up for Liberty, Flag of the Nation—Tallman of the Free, Curd be the hand that dares to tear these down.

For three days during the past week we have visited the several camps of the South Yuba and Dutch Flat canal. We first visited camp No. 6, presided over by Mr. J. B. Leach, he has about eighty-six hands at work, and is prosecuting his portion of this enterprise with great expedition. He lives well, as we can testify from actual experience, having partaken of his hospitality on the occasion referred to. Mr. Kopp, the collector of taxes was there at the same time, endeavoring to induce our Celtic fellow-citizens to pay their yearly contributions to our State Government, in which he was partially successful; some swearing that they would pay one tax and some another, but most of them were particularly hostile to the Railroad tax, saying that they could not get a ride behind the iron horse if they were dying. Yet, these men flock to the work and think they are ill-treated if they do not obtain employment and wages from the contractors! Another prominent feature connected with this matter is, that at our election in this County authorizing the subscription, these Irishmen all voted in favor of the enterprise, and now, having saddled the responsibility of the debt upon the bona fide citizens of the County, they refuse to pay their proportion, and skulk off like so many cayotes at the approach of every officer whose duty it is to collect the revenue. Surely, they have a peculiar rule whereby to work in order to console themselves as being consistent.

On Wednesday we visited camp No. 4, under the superintendence of Mr. Secord. There the Collector had to go through with a repetition of the work of the previous day. Great dissatisfaction being manifested by the Irish portion of the laborers on account of being compelled to pay their taxes, and these men—creatures—are always found most vociferous on election days calling on the people to sustain the g-r-a-t "Dimikratic" party, and at the last election the principal ones who voted for Micklellan. Ought not some means be devised by which the ballot-box, which is said to be the "palladium" of the rights of an American Citizen—could be purged of the contaminating influence of such men? However, after all the stampeeding created by the presence of the Collector, they found that they had not eluded his vigilance, for he garnished their time, and as soon as they became aware of this fact, it is surprising how they changed their tune and started in with blarney on that officer. One was the sole support of an old mother a hundred years old. Another had a wife and six children, (besides the pigs) and "hadn't a boot to his feet, and his honor would show a little clemency? Another had got into a "devil of a fight" on account of his honor on the election" (which was a lie, by the by, for there was no fighting near here on that day,) together with every other thing imaginable and unimaginable, besieging the Collector to "let them off" with a portion of the amount due. We are happy to state that the Collector "couldn't see it" in the light they did and consequently they had to pungle. It is somewhat surprising that with the Germans and other foreign citizens together with those to "the manor born" there was no difficulty and no "skedaddling," but they manfully authorized the Superintendents, almost to a man, to settle with the Collector.

The company is completing one of the most substantial pieces of work in the State, and when finished, will be a credit to the County. The ditch is four and a half feet at the bottom, seven feet at the top, and three feet deep, and its completion is calculated at about two months provided the weather is such as to allow the hands to remain on the work uninterrupted for that length of time. Before closing this article we desire to return our thanks to Messrs. Leach, Secord, Holmes and Rogers for their kind and gentlemanly treatment to us while their guest.

From Boise.—Mr. J. S. Jones, arrived here on Monday evening from Owyhee county, having made the trip in twenty-one days. He informs us that the quartz lodes in that country surpasses in richness anything he has ever seen among the richest of which are Empire, Morning Star, Org Fino, New York, and Whiskey ledges, some of which yield as high as five thousand dollars to the ton. There are now three mills in Owyhee county, all of which are doing a good business, owned by Fogus & Moore, the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, and M. near & Co. Mr. Jones says that but little work will be done there during the winter, and intends returning in the spring. The prices for the necessities of life he represents as moderate and a good supply on hand.

Three cheers, tables, bureaus, and a piano or two in honor of the storm-king for sending us so far—a glorious old he rain. Every one's countenance is now wreathed in smiles, putting one in mind of a piece of India rubber stretched around a post. Hurrah, for the rain! If our ditches can stand it, we can. We vote the freedom of the city to it, and are willing to go "skedding around" the balance of the winter.

CHRISTMAS BALL AND FESTIVAL.—A ball and festival will be given in this place on Christmas Eve, December 24th, at the theater, under the auspices of Messrs. Helling & Johnson, of the Union Restaurant. The Dutch Flat Brass and String Band is engaged for the occasion. One of the distinctive features of the entertainment will be a first class supper to please and delight the palate of an epicure. For further information see advertisement.

DUTCH FLAT, Nov. 26th, 1864.  
Mr. ENQUIRER:—It is easy enough to get in to print, but it is not always so easy to get out again, which passing thought I will note for further reflection, and at the same time and in all kindness of spirit, do hereby recommend it to the respectful consideration of "A Citizen of Gold Run."

RECRIMINATORY.  
Charges of "gross misrepresentation" "vile injustice," "contemptible assertions" and "petty individual spite" are preferred by an high toned, broadly-patriotic, decency-claiming and truth loving Citizen of Gold Run, against the author of a paragraph styled, "HONOR TO GOLD RUN," which appeared in the *Enquirer* of the 12th inst. It is plain that, if these charges can be sustained, the writer of the paragraph should be kicked out of Dutch Flat; and it is equally as just, I hold, that if not sustained, "Citizen" be kicked out of Gold Run?

Of this, take due notice, and let it be accordingly so done.  
I am the author of that paragraph, everybody and Sam Brannan have read it by this time, and it only is necessary that I should remind the public (and Sam) that I therein stated that, a certain old pettifoggery bore (identified by "Citizen" as "Judge" Arnold) attempted to turn the late Gold Run jubilee into a glorification for the Collector elect. I made the statement, as signified in the paragraph, upon the declarations of parties who were present at, and participated in that jollification, not claiming that I myself was present, but being induced I confess, to endorse the statement as true, from the high moral, social and political standing of the gentlemen who communicated it to me. In so endorsing it, it appears to me after as fair and candid consideration of the matter as I am capable of, only can I be charged with having in any degree whatever transcended the just and lawful exercise of the privileges of the sublime state, condition, capacity in which I was acting; and taking into consideration my all trusting faith in my friends veracity, coupled with my imperfect knowledge of the wonderful leverage of the Press, it was a mild offense and worthy of forgiveness, though the statement should prove unfounded? What then, becomes of "Citizen's" charges against me? Had he not better withdraw his shameful insinuations? Had he not better prepare to be "kicked out of Gold Run?"

REFLECTIONS.  
How evident that, had "Citizen" submitted his paper to the perusal of the personage in whose defence it was prepared, that personage would have thanked "Citizen" for the proof of his kind sympathies, and advised him to burn it? For, in simple justice to the subject personage, he could not have failed to perceive that, in case, "Citizen's" angry and ill-considered challenge to controversy was accepted by me, himself, the subject personage of the controversy, must be the principal sufferer therefrom? In consideration of "Citizen's" indiscretion in this matter, and the consequent ridiculous and painful position into which the subject personage is hoisted (the inevitable result of simple though well meaning fellows officious intermeddling in such affairs). I hereby proffer my sincere sympathy to the herein-before covertly alluded to distinguished personage, and profess a determination to deal by him as humanely as the nature of the case will allow.

CRIMINATORY.  
After two weeks reflection, and frequent conversations with my informants (whose numbers now are quadrupled) upon the matter, I hereby certify that, the statement contained in a paragraph styled, "HONOR TO GOLD RUN," in the *Enquirer* of the 12th inst., is, to the best of my belief and ability to judge, true in every essential particular—especially in the estimate therein placed upon the oratorical powers of the oft-times before herein etc., My opinion, as stated before, is based upon the testimony of numerous truthful and highly respected citizens of this place, who allege that they were present at, and remarked the attempt upon said occasion. But,

"If thy neighbor should sin, old Christoval said, for remember it is by the mercy of God. That thou art not as wicked as he!"

Now, in order that no confusion to the judiciary through the State may ensue from this controversy, no misconception abroad arise concerning the professional status of the subject personage, I propose that the high sounding appellation of "Judge" be dropped and henceforth the less startling one of Lawyer be substituted therefor, that is, if "the court" have no objection, and "Citizen" of Gold Run approve of the suggestion?

A WORD TO "CITIZEN."  
You entered this controversy, as a Champion of Right and Justice, whose nobleness of soul and lofty conceptions of duty would not permit you to brook an alleged injustice done in the jurisdiction of Gold Run, in silence? Such incentive to disputation were noble indeed and worthy of success. But what evidences of insincerity are these? True, my dear "Citizen," it is hard to keep up pretensions, in print; here, the truth will out! I can sympathize with you here. To write and conceal, is the master's part; one must need long study. Selkirk for that, (blown on Miller last week). To write and reveal, alas, is our part. Types are the devil's own imps, delighting in the exposure of every hidden thing about their users. It is next to impossible to keep a secret and mix one's thoughts with them. But why should we bewail our fate? Our fate, you ask? Yes, my dear "Citizen," allow me to call your attention to the "slips" or revelations that you have made. I will say nothing of the evidences of low passion which mark your style throughout (usually held as indicative of ignorance and prejudice) but pass on, and alight upon the summing up of your sentiments in this affair in your closing remarks. After wrestling yourself into the necessary belief to assert that no attempt of the kind alleged was made at the oft-times herein-before specified jollification, you descriptively remark that: "The occasion made everybody feel good" (not polished but expressive, "Citizen," "with the exception of one, poor misguided and probably conscience—smitten individual who skedaddled suddenly for a "more congenial clime"—Dutch Flat." I will not now attempt an investigation of the prosecution which induced that "sudden skedaddling" (there is a "point" in that admission for the "prosecution" thank you, "Citizen,") but keep in view your broadly patriotic, decency-claiming and truth-loving declarations, I will observe that, the above is a rather curious and questionable "sketch" of a gentleman and his ruling principles, who here ranks as truly "one of our most estimable Citizens," and not only calculated to convince his friends that was aimed, but also to visit them with the belief that it was done in "petty individual spite" (Keep cool, my dear fellow, and give the prosecution "a chance.") Your "petty spite" upon this gentleman's good name, will surely be set down by the public as inconsistent with your professed

nobleness of mission. It won't do, my dear fellow; the merit of flying to the assistance of one citizen will not bear you out in "moving," in unprovoked attack, "upon the works" of another. The people, though desirous of champions to adjust their difficulties, would deem this an unsafe measure to adopt; for on the most unexpected occasions, they might "hear something drop," do you see?

Again: "Skedaddled to a "more congenial clime"—Dutch Flat." After visiting your pity and contempt upon this individual as the embodiment of meanness; you say that he "skedaddled to a "more congenial clime—Dutch Flat." Can't you edit your conceit better than that? Is it not enough that we freely accredit all the virtues and graces in the calendar to the town of Gold Run, that you should draw such invidious comparisons with our unpretending stopping place?

Ab, oh, alas, de, pooh!—You have discovered yourself, to us "Citizens." In short, your lion skin is off, and your ass' ears are protruding hugely! Good bye, don't get angry. Call again! CITIZEN OF THE WORLD.  
(Address, Dutch Flat.)

PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF DUTCH FLAT.

MR. EDITOR:—In accordance with your request I herewith furnish you a brief account of the organization ceremonies of the Plymouth Church of this place, and also the names of those who united to form the Church.

The council called by those who proposed to organize a Church, met on Saturday evening, Nov. 19th, at the school house, and, after hearing a sermon by Rev. Mr. Snow, proceeded to elect a moderator and scribe and make out a roll of the council as follows:

Rev. Dr. J. E. Dwinell, of Sacramento, Moderator. Rev. Mr. Snow, of Grass valley, Clerk. Rev. Mr. Benton, of Folsom. Rev. Mr. Cummings, Nevada, and three delegates.

The council then considered, 1st. The need of a Church; 2nd, whether the steps taken are of due form and order; and 3rd. The qualifications for membership of those who proposed to enter into organization. These all being found satisfactory, the parts were assigned for the public services of the Sabbath as follows:

Introductory services—Rev. Mr. Benton; Sermon—Rev. Dr. Dwinell; Administering the Covenant—Rev. M. Snow; Constituting Prayer—Rev. M. Cummings; Fellowship of the Churches—Rev. M. Snow; Address to the Church—Rev. M. Cummings; Concluding Services—Rev. Mr. Johnson.

The council then adjourned to Sabbath morning at 10 1/2 o'clock. At the hour appointed the house was well filled with an intelligent and appreciative audience, and the ceremonies of organizing the Plymouth Church of Dutch Flat, were conducted according to the foregoing programme. The whole service was certainly very appropriate to the occasion, and was ably conducted throughout. Special mention ought to be made of the sermon, and of the address to the Church. Those who heard them will not soon forget either. The other services were all that could be desired, but these two were unusually excellent. It seems a pity that all our citizens could not have the opportunity to hear them.

Thirteen persons had given in their names as charter members of the new church, but only eight were able to be present; who went forward as their names were read and entered into covenant as a church of the Lord Jesus Christ. The names are: Rev. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. E. R. Johnson, Mrs. S. Hill, Miss L. E. Herbert, Mrs. W. S. McKee, W. S. McKee, J. S. Bloom, N. W. Blanchard.

After the organization ceremonies were concluded, the church, and council, and members of other churches present united in celebrating the Lord's Supper. In the evening the Rev. Mr. Benton preached an earnest and eloquent sermon on Christian Manliness to a large and attentive audience. A SPECTATOR.

We learn that the Dutch Flat Water Company is now prepared for the rains, having made every preparation necessary with their many ditches, and as nearly all the miners in this place are dependent upon this company for the means of prosecuting their mining operations, they will gratefully receive this news.

Great credit is due the managing agent of this company Mr. E. L. Bradley, for the great perseverance and industry displayed by him in order to supply our miners with water for the past eight years. We hope we may have abundant rains and that this company may reap a rich harvest. None are more worthy, and none more richly deserve success.

GOLD RUN, Nov. 25th, 1864.

FRIEND BOUST:—In looking over your last issue I saw an effusion from a Citizen of Gold Run. Fearing that Citizen's opinion might be taken for the verdict of this place, we, that is me and my Mary Ann, beg a space in your paper to state our views on that subject. In the first place, we think the remarks of the Judge on that occasion, ill-timed and out of place, he no doubt intended them for Major Kopp, we think the term bushwhacker as applied to the Major was in bad taste and highly reprehensible. Bushwhackers lurk in the bush and stab in the dark; the Major came out and announced himself openly and boldly as an independent candidate; no lurking in the bush, no stabbing in the dark; therefore we think it was out of place. Citizen says the ladies were highly pleased with the remarks of the Judge on that occasion, Mary Ann says that the ladies of Gold Run are too magnificent to crow over a fallen foe, (she means magnanimous, Mr. Editor).—Citizen speaks of a conscience-smitten individual there, we know of none such, if there was any one conscience-stricken it must have been some fellow who had been drinking the Major's whiskey for the last three months, and who had promised to vote for him and then threw him off on the day of election, none other need be conscience-stricken. Mary Ann thinks so too. TWO CITIZENS OF GOLD RUN.

STAGE CHANGE.—The California Stage Company's line, we learn from the Nevada Transcript, from Nevada to Virginia has been drawn off for the winter, and no attempt will be made to keep the Henness Pass road open. This is but carrying out the intention of the company as announced in our columns some months since. A new line of stages will be put on between Nevada and this place to connect with the company's line running over the Dutch Flat and Donner Lake road. By this arrangement persons from Nevada will arrive at Virginia city three hours earlier than by Henness Pass route.

MILITARY.—Captain N. W. Knowlton, of the Nevada Light Guard, was elected Major of the Fifth Battalion, Fourth Brigade, C. M., on last Saturday. This Battalion is composed of the Nevada Light Guard, Grass Valley Union Guard, Little York Guard, and Eureka Rangers.

REIGNA.  
I am composed of twenty letters:  
My 3 6 12 11, is girl's name;  
My 10 17 19, God says thou shalt not do;  
My 14 3 4, is a nickname;  
My 2 11 1 12 17 3, is a girl's name!  
My 30 16 14, is cowardly;  
My 5 14 4 13 18, is a preposition;  
My 9 11 14, is very convenient;  
My 15 5 17 1, is to leave;  
My 7 8 11 1, is to talk;  
My whole is always a welcome visitor. ISORA.

CHRISTMAS EVE BALL.  
The undersigned beg leave to inform the public generally that they will have the pleasure of giving a grand BALL AND FESTIVAL! On Saturday Evening, Dec'r 24th, 1864, AT THE DUTCH FLAT THEATER, SUPER AT THE UNION RESTAURANT. THE DUTCH FLAT BRASS AND STRING BAND Has been engaged expressly for the occasion. Guests can rely upon everything being done for their accommodation and comfort. Invitation cards will be issued at an early day. HELLING & JOHNSON.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF AN Order of Sale to me delivered and directed on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1864, issued out of the District Court 14th Judicial District for the county of Placer, and state of California, a judgment and decree rendered in said court on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1864, in favor of J. J. Collins and against J. Dornbach, — Bartlett and — Thomas for the sum of One Thousand Nine hundred and eighty-nine (\$1,989 00) dollars with interest from the 17th day of November, at two per cent per month, and accruing costs, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in the town of Auburn, Placer county, California, On Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1864, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all the right, title, interest and claim which the said J. Dornbach had on the 14th day of May, 1862, or that he has since acquired in and to the following described property, to wit: The one-sixth (1/6) part of the mining claim as known as the Sailor Claims, situated on Gray's Hill, near the town of Dutch Flat, being bounded on the west and north by the property of the Company's claims, and on the east by the North Star Company's claims. Also: All of that town lot on the west side of said town of Dutch Flat, being two hundred (200) feet square, (more or less), enclosed by a board fence, said lot being bounded on the northwesterly by the lot of Charles Suffens, on the west and south west by the lots of Sonstags, Louis Vogls, S. Abrams, and others. Also that certain lot situated on the south side of Dutch Flat Ravine, fronting eighty feet on said ravine and running back between parallel lines the distance of thirty (30) feet, the same being bounded on the one side by the lot of Mr. Holmes and on the other side by the lot of Godfrey Peffer. Also: All of the right, title and interest of the said J. Dornbach had on the 14th day of May, 1862, or has since acquired in and to a certain water ditch leading the waters of Bear river into Dutch Flat and vicinity, and formerly known as Pollard's Ditch, and now known as Bartlett & Thomas' ditch, together with all interest of said J. Dornbach in the flumes, aqueducts, reservoirs and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. All of which named and described property I shall sell as aforesaid, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the above judgment and costs due and to become due. Auburn, Nov. 21st, 1864. WM. SEXTON, S.H. of Placer county.

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STILL AHEAD.  
FRED. BURCKHALTER Finding the CASH SYSTEM to work to the benefit of his customers and self continues to keep an excellent assortment of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, and FAMILY SUPPLIES: OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, which he is now selling at lower rates than others who adhere to the credit system can afford. A prices current furnished to customers whenever desired, and goods packed to order, and every accommodation rendered free of charge at the Cash Store. se10-tf

J. B. LEVY, MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT, CAL., Wholesale and Retail Dealer in GLASSWARE, CROCKERYWARE, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, POWDER AND SHOT, FANCY AND TOILETTE ARTICLES, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS, PATENT MEDICINES, TOBACCO AND CIGARS! A splendid assortment of the best brands.

The subscriber respectfully announces to the people of Dutch Flat and vicinity that he has on hand one of the largest and best assorted stocks of FINE LIQUORS AND WINES! EVER OFFERED IN THIS MARKET. Consisting of the choicest brands from the most celebrated French vineyards and distilleries.

Paints, Oils and Turpentine! A splendid assortment, wholesale and retail, at prices TO SUIT THE TIMES. LAMP OILS, KEROSENE, &c., Of every quality, which he offers at a small advance on San Francisco prices, together with an innumerable number of fancy articles, such as Looking Glasses, Pictures, &c., To which the attention of the ladies is particularly invited. oc22-tf

Holiday Presents.—One of the best opportunities ever offered to dealers in Toys, Fancy Goods and Musical Instruments is at Messrs. Hoyer & Co.'s store, 406 Battery Street, between Clay and Washington, San Francisco. Their stock is very extensive, of recent importation, and they are determined to close it out at the very lowest prices. Croquette and other games, Bagatelle boards, etc. td

W. H. KEELER, Watchmaker and Jeweler. HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM the Eastern States would announce to the public that he has reopened his old store on Main street, Dutch Flat, one door above the Dutch Flat Water company's office, where he would be pleased to see his old friends and customers and all others who desire anything done in his line. A work done in a neat and workmanlike manner and at warranted to give satisfaction. Nov. 12, 1863.-tf

Dry Goods and Clothing Store OPENED IN DUTCH FLAT. [A few doors below W. & P. Nichols' Banking House,] by CHARLES ADLER.

I have all the latest styles and patterns of Domestic and Foreign Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, &c., usually kept in any store in the State, which I sell at the lowest cash prices. Call and examine goods, whether you wish to purchase or not. Jan. 20-tf

UPHOLSTERY! UPHOLSTERY!

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY informs the Citizens of Dutch Flat and the people of Placer County, in general that he is prepared to furnish them with

Sofas, Spring Beds, Lounges, Etc., of superior make, and at very reasonable prices, at short notice. All branches of the business will be carried on by him

Repairing of every Description done and satisfaction warranted. Also all orders for PAPER HANGING, Will be neatly and expeditiously executed. Rooms in the rear of BURCKHALTERS STORE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS. Nov12-4t

H. R. HILDEBRETH.

HENRY SIEMON, Barber and Hair Dresser, OPPOSITE MASONIC HALL, MAIN STREET.

Shaving.....22 cents Hair Cutting.....25 " Shampooing.....25 " [oc22-tf]

NEW STORE, AT FRIEDMAN'S OLD STAND, MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT.

THE UNDERSIGNED ANNOUNCES TO THE citizens of Dutch Flat that he has just opened a store at the above named stand where he will keep a good assortment of FAMILY GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, CROCKERY, and FRESH VEGETABLES, which will be sold as cheap as they can be afforded regardless to the prices at other stores. Those in need of family stores at invited to call and examine my stock. My aim is to please. GEO. S. MAKER. se24-tf

NATIONAL HOTEL, Main Street, Dutch Flat.

J. M. GAROUTTE, PROPRIETOR. THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING LEASED THE above named establishment, respectfully announces to the public that he intends to "keep tavern" in a manner unsurpassed in the mountains. Knowing the wants of the public he will keep the people supplied with the best viands. His accommodations are such that cannot fail to meet the demand of those partial to clean beds and well-laid rooms. Attending strictly to the management of the house himself he will endeavor to satisfy all who give him a call. The house has been thoroughly renovated, and being plastered throughout and the rooms large will make it one of the most desirable houses to stop at in the county. Oct. 13-tf

UNION RESTAURANT. HENRY HELLEN, H. JOHNSON, PROPRIETORS.

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCES TO THE citizens of Dutch Flat and the public in general that he has opened a

First Class Restaurant at the corner of Main and Sacramento streets, where

Good Meals at all Hours can be obtained. Every delicacy the market affords will be found at this establishment. Oct. 29-tf

OYSTERS AND GAME SUPPERS gotten up at short notice, in splendid style. HELLEN & JOHNSON.

MINING NOTICES.

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